

Querying DEQ's ECSI Database: Site Summary Report

Details for Site ID 2364

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Site Information

Site ID: 2364

Site Name: Foss Maritime/Brix Maritime

Address: 9030 NW Saint Helens RD Portland 97231

County: Multnomah

Investigation Status: Suspect site requiring further

investigation

Property:

Twnshp/Range/Sect: 1N, 1W, 11

Latitude: 45 deg. 35 ' 5"

Region: Northwest

Orphan Site: Study Area:

CERCLIS No:

Tax Lots: 4.46 acres

Longitude: 122 deg. 45 ' 18"

NPL Site: N

Site Size: 39

Other Site Names:

Portland Harbor Sediment Study

Brix Maritime

Operations:

Name: Foss Maritime Company

Comments: .

Years of Operation: 1979 - Current

SIC Code: 3462

Operating Status: Active

Contamination Information

Hazardous

Substances/Waste

Types:

Manner and Time of

Release:

Contamination

Information:

Weston sampling results from the Portland Harbor Sediment Study revealed PAHs, thallium and butylbenzylphthalate in river sediments adjacent to the site.

Pathways:

Environmental/Health

Threats:

Status of Investigative or Remedial Action:

(6/8/99 JMW/SAP) Based on initial sampling results from a river sediment quality study, the Foss Maritime facility has been identified as a potential source of contamination to the Portland Harbor. A Site Assessment Review Notice was sent on March 3, 1999. Response from Foss Maritime was received on April 12, 1999. A site screening is scheduled (level III priority). (12/21/99 TG/SAP) Strategy Recommendation completed November 1999. An expanded Preliminary Assessment (XPA) on the Foss Maritime property should be conducted to evaluate sediment contamination, potential upland site contaminant sources and past waste management practices, and to determine the extent and source(s) of observed sediment contamination at sample station SD052. XPA is a

high priority for follow-up.

Data Sources:

See also Spill files: 95-145, 95-486, 95-1175, 96-222, 96-1679, 96-1403, 97-201, 97-1857, 97-2378, 97-2489, 98-67, 98-75, 98-622, 98-2225, 98-3142. Portland Harbor Sediment Investigation Report, prepared by Roy F. Weston, Inc. for USEPA, May 1998; Foss Maritime Company's response to DEQ Site Assessment Information Request, March 31, 1999; DEQ LUST Database; DEQ HWIMSy Hazardous

Waste Generator Database; DEQ SPINS Spill Database; MetroScan Property

Records, Multnomah County, Oregon.

Substance Contamination Information

Substance	Media Contaminated	Concentration Level	Date Recorded	Lab Data	Agency Observation	Owner Operator Admission
BUTYL BENZYL PHTHALATE	Sediment	29 ppb - downstream	09/01/1997	Y	·	
POLYAROMATIC HYDROCARBONS (PAH)	Sediment	LPAH 803 ppb - downstream	09/01/1997	Y		
POLYAROMATIC HYDROCARBONS (PAH)	Sediment	HPAHs 3907 ppb - downstream	09/01/1997	Y		
THALLIUM	Sediment	20 ppm - downstream	09/01/1997	Y		

Investigative, Remedial and Administrative Actions

Action	Start Date Compl. Date	Resp. Staff	Agency Code	Regio	n Lead Pgm
Site added to database	06/08/1999 06/08/199	9 Janelle Waggy	DEQ	NW	VCS
Site Screening recommended (EV)	06/08/1999 06/08/199	9 Steve Fortuna	DEQ	NW	SAS
SITE SCORING	11/08/1999 11/08/199	9 Thomas Gaine	r DEQ	NW	SAS
Insufficient information to list	11/19/1999 11/19/199	9 Thomas Gaine	r DEQ	NW	SAS
SITE EVALUATION	11/19/1999 11/19/199	9 Thomas Gaine	r DEQ	NW	SAS
State Expanded Preliminary Assessment recommended (XPA)	11/19/1999 11/19/199	9 Thomas Gaine	r DEQ	NW	VCS
Letter Agreement	11/25/1999 12/22/199	99 Eric Blischke	DEQ	NW	VCS
EXPANDED PRELIMINARY ASSESSMENT	02/15/2000	Rod Struck	DEQ	NW	VCS

Key to certain acronyms and terms in this report:

CERCLIS No.: The U.S. EPA's Hazardous Waste Site identification number, shown only if EPA has been involved at the site.

Region: DEQ divides the state into three regions (E, NW, and W); the regional office shown is responsible for site investigation/cleanup.

NPL Site: Is the site on EPA's Superfund List? (Y/N).

Orphan Site: Has DEQ's Orphan Program been active at this site? (Y/N). The Orphan Program cleans up highpriority sites where owners and operators responsible for the contamination are absent, or are unwilling or unable to use their own resources for cleanup.

Study Area: Is this site a Study Area? (Y/N). ECSI assigns unique Site ID numbers to both individual sites and to Study Areas, which are groupings of individual ECSI sites that may be contributing to a larger, area-wide problem.

SIC Code: The Standard Industrial Classification code assigned to the operation described in this part of the

Pathways: A description of human or environmental resources that site contamination could affect.

Lead Pgm: This column refers to the Cleanup Program affiliation of the DEQ employee responsible for the action shown. SAS = Site Assessment; VCS = Voluntary Cleanup; SRS = Site Response (enforcement cleanup).

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